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NEWS RELEASE

Carmen Miranda was charged today by Information¹ with willfully failing to file tax returns. Carmen Miranda also entered into a Stipulated Settlement Agreement in which she agreed to pay \$218,582.92 to the Internal Revenue Service to satisfy the federal civil taxes, interest and penalties she owes, as well as forfeit \$47,036.89.

The Information charges that the defendant received approximately \$54,649 in gross income in 2006, and was required to file income tax returns for that year. The Information charges that the defendant knew this and failed to file the tax returns.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE DEFENDANTS

NAME	ADDRESS	AGE OR YEAR OF BIRTH
Carmen Miranda	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	74 years old

If convicted, the defendant faces a maximum possible sentence of one year imprisonment, a one year period of supervised release, a \$25,000 fine, and a \$25 special assessment.

The case was investigated by the Internal Revenue Service, Criminal Investigation Division, and the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and is being prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney Sarah L. Grieb.

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